

## **ADVOCATES TRAINING- Child Placement Bureau**

**DSS custody – foster care placement**

**Types of foster placements:**

- foster/adoptive homes
- kinship homes
- therapeutic homes
- residential/group home

**Overview:** brief description of the foster home Certification process

- SCR/Criminal/Vulnerable Persons clearances
- Training for foster parents
- Home Study

**Permanency Planning for Children in foster care:**

- Return to parent
- APPLA
- Fit/Willing relative
- Guardianship (KinGAP)
- Adoption

**Family Court Process: ( as it pertains to Foster Care Matters)**

- Permanency Hearings,
- TPRs,
- Surrenders,
- KinGAP